$tb April A SKIRMISH IN IRELAND

In Ireland Captain Marshall that had the command of the fort of Maryborough was *by* some of his own company trained forth, himself with four others slain, and the traitors ready to seize the fort The Earl of Ormond thereupon set forth to its relieving, and though the rebels had made trenches and sconces to stop his passage he made his way through with no more loss than 10 slam and 13 hurt but of the traitors 160 In these last nine weeks more than 800 of the rebels have been slain or executed

Stb Afnl HILL'S [c] SCHOOL OF SKILL [3]

Mr. Thomas Hill at his death left behind a mathematical treatise called *The School of Skill* in two books, the first of the sphere, of the stars, of their orbs, and of the earth , the second of the spherical elements Showeth that the heaven hath a round form and is carried circularly, and that the earth abideth fixed and unmovable in the centre about the ex- tree of the world, which by several reasons is manifest For every grave or heavy matter is by nature earned after a most straight line unto the centre and there resteth upon the upper face of the earth, and were it not for the fastness of the earth they should so long be carried downwards until they came unto the centre itself Moreover it is evident that if the earth should be moved or earned it would by necessity be drawn in right or circular motion, when (by reason that it is the heaviest of all things) it should by its swiftness move before all other things, and then should the living creatures and other things fastened to it be left hanging behind in the air

i±tb Ajml * NOSCE TEIPSUM [5]

Mr John Davies hath written a long poem entitled *Nosce*

Teipsum which oracle is expounded in two elegies, the first of human knowledge., the second of the soul of man and the immortality thereof

OF THE DIFFICULTY OF KNOWLEDGE

And yet alas, when all our lamps are burn'd,
Our bodies wasted, and our spirits spent;
When we have all the learned volumes turned,
Which yield men's wits both help and ornament,